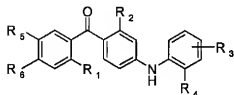


AMENDMENTS TO THE CLAIMS

1. – 48. (Cancelled)

49. (Currently Amended) A compound of general formula I



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wherein

R_1 is halogen, hydroxy, mercapto, trifluoromethyl, amino, C_{1-4} alkyl, C_{2-4} alkenyl, C_{2-4} alkynyl, C_{1-4} alkoxy, C_{1-4} alkylthio, C_{1-6} alkylamino, C_{1-4} alkoxycarbonyl, cyano, $-CONH_2$ or nitro;

R_2 is hydrogen, halogen, hydroxy, mercapto, trifluoromethyl, amino, C_{1-4} alkyl, C_{2-4} alkenyl, C_{2-4} alkynyl, C_{1-4} alkoxy, C_{1-4} alkylthio, C_{1-6} alkylamino, C_{1-4} alkoxycarbonyl, cyano, $-CONH_2$, phenyl or nitro;

R_3 represents one or more, same or different substituents selected from the group consisting of hydrogen, halogen, hydroxy, mercapto, trifluoromethyl, cyano, carboxy, $CONH_2$, nitro, C_{1-4} alkyl, C_{2-4} alkenyl, C_{2-4} alkynyl, C_{1-4} alkoxy, C_{1-4} alkylthio, C_{1-4} alkoxycarbonyl;

R_4 is hydrogen, halogen, nitro, R_8 or $-Y_1R_8$ fluoro;

Y_4 is $-O-$, $-S-$, $-S(O)-$, $-S(O)_2-$, $-NR_a-$, $-NR_aC(O)NR_b-$, $-NR_aC(O)-$, $-C(O)NR_a-$, $-C(O)NR_aO-$, $-C(O)-$, $-C(O)O-$, $-NR_aC(O)O-$, $-S(O)_2NR_a-$, $-NR_aS(O)_2-$;

R_a , R_b and R_c are the same or different, each representing hydrogen, C_{1-4} alkyl, C_{2-4} alkenyl, C_{2-4} alkynyl, C_{3-8} carbocyclyl, C_{1-12} heterocyclyl or aryl, each of C_{1-4} alkyl, C_{2-4} alkenyl, C_{2-4} alkynyl, C_{3-8} carbocyclyl, C_{1-12} heterocyclyl or aryl being optionally substituted by one or more, same or different substituents represented by R_7 ;

R_8 is hydrogen, C_{1-10} alkyl, C_{1-12} heterocyclyl, C_{1-10} alkyl, C_{3-12} carbocyclyl, C_{1-10} alkyl, C_{2-10} alkenyl, C_{2-10} alkynyl, C_{3-12} carbocyclyl or C_{1-12} heterocyclyl, each of C_{1-10} alkyl, C_{1-12} heterocyclyl, C_{1-10} alkyl, C_{2-10} alkenyl, C_{2-10} alkynyl, C_{3-12} carbocyclyl or C_{1-12} heterocyclyl being optionally substituted by one or more, same or different substituents represented by R_{27} ;

R_7 is halogen, hydroxy, mercapto, trifluoromethyl, amino, C_{1-4} alkyl, C_{1-6} hydroxyalkyl, C_{1-4} alkoxy, C_{1-4} alkylthio, C_{1-6} alkylamino, C_{1-4} alkoxycarbonyl, C_{1-9} trialkylammonium in association with an anion, cyano, azido, nitro, $-S(O)_2NH_2$, $-S(O)_2NR_b$, $-S(O)_2R$, $-COOH$, $-CONH_2$, $-NR_aC(O)R'$, $-CONHR'$ or $-CONRR'$, wherein R and R' are same or different, each representing hydrogen or C_{1-3} alkyl;

one of R_5 and R_6 is $-COOH$, $-C(O)NHOH$, $-C(O)NHNH_2$, Y_2R_9 , $Y_2R_9Y_3R_{10}$, C_{1-6} alkyl- Y_2R_9 , C_{1-6} alkyl- $Y_2R_9Y_3R_{10}$, C_{2-6} alkenyl- Y_2R_9 , C_{2-6} alkenyl- $Y_2R_9Y_3R_{10}$, $Y_2R_9-C_{1-6}$ alkyl- Y_3R_{10} , $Y_2R_9-C_{2-6}$

alkenyl-Y₃R₁₀, C₃₋₁₂carbocyclyl-Y₂R₉, C₃₋₁₂carbocyclyl-Y₂R₉Y₃R₁₀, C₁₋₁₂heterocyclyl-Y₂R₉, C₁₋₁₂heterocyclyl-Y₂R₉Y₃R₁₀, C₃₋₁₂carbocyclyl-C₁₋₆-alkyl-Y₂R₉, C₃₋₁₂carbocyclyl-C₁₋₆-alkyl-Y₂R₉Y₃R₁₀, C₁₋₁₂heterocyclyl-C₁₋₆-alkyl-Y₂R₉, C₁₋₁₂heterocyclyl-C₁₋₆-alkyl-Y₂R₉Y₃R₁₀, C₃₋₁₂carbocyclyl-C₁₋₆-alkyl-Y₃R₁₀, C₁₋₁₂heterocyclyl-C₁₋₆-alkyl-Y₃R₁₀, C₁₋₁₂heterocyclyl-C₁₋₁₀alkyl, C₃₋₁₂carbocyclyl-C₁₋₁₀alkyl, C₁₋₁₀alkyl-C₁₋₁₂heterocyclyl, C₁₋₁₀alkyl-C₃₋₁₂carbocyclyl, C₁₋₁₀alkyl, C₂₋₁₀alkenyl, C₂₋₁₀alkynyl, C₃₋₁₂carbocyclyl or C₁₋₁₂heterocyclyl, each of which being optionally substituted by one or more, same or different substituents represented by R₇, and the other is hydrogen, halogen, hydroxy, mercapto, trifluoromethyl, amino, C₁₋₄alkyl, C₂₋₄alkenyl, C₂₋₄alkynyl, C₁₋₄alkoxy, C₁₋₄alkylthio, C₁₋₆alkylamino, C₁₋₄alkoxycarbonyl, cyano, -CONH₂ or nitro,

with the proviso that when R₅ or R₆ is phenyl, C₁₋₅alkyl or C₂₋₃alkenyl, said R₅ or R₆ is substituted by one or more, same or different substituents represented by R₇ (except three fluorine when R₅ or R₆ is methyl),

with the further proviso that when R₅ or R₆ is -COOH, Y₁ cannot be -NR_a-, -NR_aC(O)NR_b-, -NR_aC(O)- or -NR_aC(O)O-, and R₃ or R₄ cannot be nitro,

with the further proviso that when R₂ is hydrogen, one of R₅ or R₆ is not optionally substituted (C₃₋₁₈heterocyclyl, C₁₋₇alkyl, C₂₋₇alkenyl, C₂₋₇alkynyl or C₁₋₇alkoxy);

Y₂ is -O-, -S-, -S(O)-, -S(O)₂-, -NR_a-, -NR_aC(O)NR_b-, -NR_aC(O)-, -C(O)NR_a-, -C(O)NR_aO-,

-C(O)-, -NR_aC(O)O-, -NR_aS(O)₂-, -OC(O)-, -C(O)O-, -C(O)NR_aNR_bC(S)NR_c-, -C(O)NR_aNR_b-,
or -S(O)₂NR_a;

R₉ is C₁₋₁₀alkyl-C₁₋₁₂heterocyclyl, C₁₋₁₀alkyl-C₃₋₁₂carbocyclyl, C₁₋₁₀alkyl, C₂₋₁₀alkenyl, C₂₋₁₀alkynyl, C₃₋₁₂carbocyclyl, C₁₋₁₂heterocyclyl, C₃₋₁₂carbocyclyl-C₁₋₁₀alkyl, or C₁₋₁₂heterocyclyl-C₁₋₁₀alkyl, C₃₋₆carbocyclyl-C₁₋₆alkenyl, C₃₋₆carbocyclyl-C₂₋₆alkynyl, each being optionally substituted by one or more, same or different substituents represented by R₇,

with the proviso that when Y₂ is -O-, -NR_a-, -S- or -C(O)O-, and R₉ is C₁₋₆alkyl, said C₁₋₆alkyl is substituted by one or more, same or different substituents represented by R₇;

Y₃ is -O-, -S-, -S(O)-, -S(O)₂-, -NR_a-, -NR_aC(O)NR_b-, -NR_aC(O)-, -C(O)NR_a-, -C(O)NR_aO-, -C(O)-, -NR_aC(O)O-, -NR_aS(O)₂-, -OC(O)- or -C(O)O-;

R₁₀ is C₁₋₁₀alkyl-C₁₋₁₂heterocyclyl, C₁₋₁₀alkyl-C₃₋₁₂carbocyclyl, C₁₋₁₀alkyl, C₂₋₁₀alkenyl, C₂₋₁₀alkynyl, C₃₋₁₂carbocyclyl or C₁₋₁₂heterocyclyl, each being optionally substituted by one or more, same or different substituents represented by R₇;

or, when one of R₅ or R₆ is the group -C(O)NR_aR₉, R_a and R₉ together with the nitrogen atom to which they are attached form a C₁₋₁₂heterocyclic ring optionally comprising one or more additional heteroatoms selected from the group consisting of O, S and N, optionally substituted with one or more substituents represented by R₇;

or a pharmaceutically acceptable salt, solvate, or ester thereof.

50. (Currently Amended) A compound according to claim 49, wherein R_1 is methyl, ethyl, trifluoromethyl, methoxy, ethoxy, nitro, bromo, fluoro or chloro; wherein R_2 is hydrogen, methyl, ethyl, methoxy, ethoxy, amino, nitro, bromo, fluoro or chloro; wherein R_3 is hydrogen, methyl, ethyl, methoxy, ethoxy, bromo, fluoro or chloro.

51 - 55. (Cancelled)

56. (Previously Presented) A compound according to claim 49, wherein R_3 represents one substituent and is in the meta position with respect to R_4 and para with respect to $-NH$, or wherein R_3 is in the meta position with respect to R_4 and ortho with respect to $-NH$, or wherein R_3 is in the ortho position with respect to R_4 and meta with respect to $-NH$.

57. (Cancelled)

58. (Currently Amended) A compound according to claim 49, wherein one of R_3 and R_4 is fluorine.

59. - 62. (Cancelled)

63. (Currently Amended) A compound according to claim 49, wherein R_7 is halogen, hydroxy, amino, $-S(O)_2CH_3$, trifluoromethyl, cyano, C_{1-4} hydroxyalkyl, C_{1-4} alkoxy, C_{1-4} alkyl, C_{1-4} alkylthio, C_{1-4} alkylamino, C_{1-4} alkoxycarbonyl, $-COOH$, $-CONH_2$, $-S(O)_2NH_2$, azido, $-\text{CONR}^2$, $-\text{CONHR}^2$ or $-\text{CONRR}^2$, wherein R and R' are as indicated in claim 1.

64. (Previously Presented) A compound according to claim 49, wherein R_7 is methyl, ethyl, methoxy, ethoxy, hydroxy, methoxycarbonyl, ethoxycarbonyl, dimethylamino, ethylamino, amino, $-COOH$, fluoro, chloro, bromo, $-CONH_2$, $-S(O)_2NH_2$, azido, methylthio, $-S(O)_2CH_3$, trifluoromethyl, cyano or hydroxymethyl.

65. (Previously Presented) A compound according to claim 49, wherein one of R_5 and R_6 is Y_2R_9 , C_{1-4} alkyl- Y_2R_9 , $Y_2R_9Y_3R_{10}$, C_{1-4} alkyl- $Y_2R_9Y_3R_{10}$, C_{2-4} alkenyl- Y_2R_9 , C_{2-4} alkenyl- $Y_2R_9Y_3R_{10}$, $Y_2R_9-C_{1-4}$ alkyl- Y_3R_{10} , $Y_2R_9-C_{2-4}$ alkenyl- Y_3R_{10} , C_{1-6} heterocyclyl- C_{1-4} alkyl- Y_2R_9 , C_{1-4} alkyl- C_{1-6} heterocyclyl, C_{1-4} alkyl- C_{3-6} carbocyclyl, C_{3-6} carbocyclyl- C_{1-4} alkyl, C_{1-4} alkyl substituted by R_7 , C_{2-4} alkenyl, C_{2-4} alkynyl, C_{3-6} carbocyclyl, C_{1-6} heterocyclyl, $-COOH$, $-C(O)NHOH$, or $C(O)NHNH_2$, and the other is hydrogen, halogen, C_{1-4} alkyl or C_{1-4} alkoxy; wherein R_9 is C_{1-4} alkyl- C_{1-6} heterocyclyl, C_{1-4} alkyl- C_{3-6} carbocyclyl, C_{1-6} alkyl, C_{2-4} alkenyl, C_{2-4} alkynyl, C_{3-10} carbocyclyl, C_{1-6} heterocyclyl, C_{3-6} carbocyclyl- C_{1-6} alkyl, C_{1-6} heterocyclyl- C_{1-6} alkyl, C_{3-6} carbocyclyl- C_{2-4} alkenyl or C_{3-6} carbocyclyl- C_{2-4} alkynyl; and wherein R_{10} is C_{1-4} alkyl, C_{2-4} alkenyl, C_{3-6} carbocyclyl or C_{1-6} heterocyclyl.

66. (Previously Presented) A compound according to claim 49, wherein R_5 is Y_2R_9 , $C_{1-4}alkyl-Y_2R_9$, $Y_2R_9Y_3R_{10}$, $C_{1-4}alkyl-Y_2R_9Y_3R_{10}$, $C_{2-4}alkenyl-Y_2R_9$, $C_{2-4}alkenyl-Y_2R_9Y_3R_{10}$, $Y_2R_9-C_{1-4}alkyl-Y_3R_{10}$, $Y_2R_9-C_{2-4}alkenyl-Y_3R_{10}$, $C_{1-6}heterocyclyl-C_{1-4}alkyl-Y_2R_9$, $C_{1-4}alkyl-C_{1-6}heterocyclyl$, $C_{1-4}alkyl-C_{3-6}carbocyclyl$, $C_{3-6}carbocyclyl-C_{1-4}alkyl$, $C_{1-4}alkyl$ substituted by R_7 , $C_{2-4}alkenyl$, $C_{2-4}alkynyl$, $C_{3-6}carbocyclyl$, $C_{1-6}heterocyclyl$, $-COOH$, $-C(O)NHOH$, or $C(O)NHNH_2$, and R_6 is hydrogen, halogen, $C_{1-4}alkyl$ or $C_{1-4}alkoxy$; wherein R_9 is $C_{1-4}heterocyclyl$, $C_{1-6}alkyl$, $C_{1-3}alkyl-C_{1-6}heterocyclyl$, $C_{6-10}carbocyclyl$, $C_{1-3}alkyl-C_6carbocyclyl$, $C_3alkenyl$, $C_6carbocyclyl-C_1alkyl$, $C_6carbocyclyl-C_3alkenyl$ or $C_6carbocyclyl-C_2alkynyl$ and wherein R_{10} is methyl, ethyl, methacryl, *tert*-butyl, tetrahydropyranyl or ethenyl.

67. (Currently Amended) A compound according to claim 49, wherein one of R_5 and R_6 is Y_2R_9 , $Y_2R_9Y_3R_{10}$, phenyl, methylphenyl, methyl, propenyl, ~~phenyl~~ $-Y_2R_9$, methyl- Y_2R_9 , tetrazole, ethynyl, triazole, thiadiazole, dihydrooxazole, ~~triazole~~ $-Y_2R_9$, $-COOH$, $-C(O)NHOH$, or $C(O)NHNH_2$, and the other is hydrogen, fluoro, chloro, methyl or methoxy; wherein R_9 is morpholinyl, propylmorpholinyl, piperazinyl, methyl, ethyl, *n*-propyl, *n*-butyl, *tert*-butyl, isobutyl, hexyl, isopropyl, dimethylpropyl, methyltetrahydrofuranlyl, methylpyridinyl, ethylpiperazinyl, cyclohexyl, propyloxopyrrolidinyl, benzyl, methylcyclohexyl, propylphenyl, ~~ethylphenyl~~, ethylmorpholinyl, allyl, ethylfuranlyl, phenyl, methyl dioximidazolidinyl, dioxohexahydropyrimidinyl, thiazolyl, methylphenyl, ethylphenyl, methyl dioxolanyl, methylthiazolyl, propenylphenyl, methylfuranlyl, thiophenyl, tetrahydropyranyl or ethynylphenyl; and wherein R_{10} is methyl, ethyl, methacryl, *tert*-butyl, tetrahydropyranyl or ethenyl.

68. (Previously Presented) A compound according to claim 49, wherein R_6 is hydrogen.
69. (Previously Presented) A compound according to claim 49, wherein R_5 is hydrogen.
70. (Previously Presented) A compound according to claim 49, wherein Y_2 is $-O-$, $-NR_a-$, $-NR_aC(O)NR_b-$, $-NR_aC(O)-$, $-C(O)NR_a-$, $-C(O)NR_aO-$, $-C(O)-$, $-NR_aC(O)O-$, $-NR_aS(O)_2-$, $-C(O)NR_aNR_b-$ or $-S(O)_2NR_a-$.
71. (Previously Presented) A compound according to claim 49, wherein Y_3 is $-O-$, $-NR_aC(O)-$, $-C(O)NR_a-$, $-C(O)-$, $-C(O)O-$ or $-NR_aC(O)O-$.
72. – 76. (Cancelled)
77. (Previously Presented) A compound according to claim 49, wherein said heterocycle or heterocyclyl contains one or two oxygen atoms or one sulphur atom, and/or up to two nitrogen atoms, or three or four nitrogen atoms, wherein optionally one or two CH_2 ring fragments is/are replaced by one or two $-C(O)-$ fragments respectively.
78. (Previously Presented) A compound according to claim 49, wherein R_a , R_b , or R_c independently represent hydrogen, methyl, ethyl, 2-hydroxyethyl or 2-methoxyethyl.

79. (Currently Amended) A compound according to claim 49, wherein R₁ is methyl, ethyl, methoxy, ethoxy, bromo, fluoro or chloro; R₂ is ~~hydrogen~~, methyl, ethyl, methoxy, ethoxy, nitro, bromo, fluoro or chloro; R₃ represents one substituent which is hydrogen, methyl, ethyl, methoxy, ethoxy, bromo, fluoro or chloro, wherein R₃ is in the meta position with respect to R₄ and para with respect to -NH, or wherein R₃ is in the meta position with respect to R₄ and ortho with respect to -NH, or wherein R₃ is in the ortho position with respect to R₄ and meta with respect to -NH; ~~wherein R₄ is methyl, ethyl, amino, bromo, fluoro, chloro, nitro,~~
~~NHC(O)OCH₂CH₃, NHC(O)CH₂CH₃, NHC(O)CH₃, NHC(O)CH₂CH₂COOH,~~
~~NHC(O)NHCH₂CH₂OH, CH=CHCH₂NH₂, NHC(O)NHCH₂CH₃, NHC(O)NH-cyclohexyl,~~
~~NHC(O)CF₃ or NHC(O)O-cyclopentyl.~~

80. (Currently Amended) A compound according to claim 49 selected from the group consisting of

[2-Chloro-4-(4-fluoro-2-methylphenylamino)phenyl]-[2-methyl-5-(morpholine-4-carbonyl)phenyl]-methanone (Compound 101);

[2-Chloro-4-(4-fluoro-2-methylphenylamino)phenyl]-[2-methyl-5-(4-methyl-piperazine-1-carbonyl)phenyl]-methanone (Compound 102);

3-[2-Chloro-4-(4-fluoro-2-methylphenylamino)benzoyl]-N-methoxy-4,N-dimethylbenzamide (Compound 103);

3-[2-Chloro-4-(4-fluoro-2-methylphenylamino)benzoyl]-4-methyl-N-(tetrahydrofuran-2-ylmethyl)benzamide (Compound 104);

3-[2-Chloro-4-(4-fluoro-2-methylphenylamino)benzoyl]-4-*N*-dimethyl-*N*-(tetrahydrofuran-2-ylmethyl)benzamide (Compound 105);

3-[2-Chloro-4-(4-fluoro-2-methyl-phenylamino)benzoyl]-*N*-(2-methoxyethyl)-4-methylbenzamide (Compound 106);

3-[2-Chloro-4-(4-fluoro-2-methylphenylamino)benzoyl]-4-methyl-*N*-(3-morpholin-4-yl-propyl)benzamide (Compound 107);

[2-Chloro-4-(4-fluoro-2-methylphenylamino)phenyl]-{5-[4-(2-methoxyethyl)piperazine-1-carbonyl]-2-methylphenyl}-methanone (Compound 108);

3-[2-Chloro-4-(4-fluoro-2-methylphenylamino)benzoyl]-4-methyl-*N*-pyridin-4-ylmethylbenzamide (Compound 109);

3-[2-Chloro-4-(4-fluoro-2-methylphenylamino)benzoyl]-4-methyl-*N*-pyridin-2-ylmethylbenzamide (Compound 110);

3-[2-Chloro-4-(4-fluoro-2-methyl-phenylamino)-benzoyl]-4-methyl-*N*-pyridin-3-ylmethylbenzamide (Compound 111);

3-[4-(2-Aminophenylamino)-2-chlorobenzoyl]-*N*-(2-hydroxyethyl)-4-methylbenzamide (Compound 112);

3-[4-(2-Amino-4-bromophenylamino)-2-chlorobenzoyl]-*N*-(2-hydroxyethyl)-4-methylbenzamide (Compound 113);

3-[4-(4-Bromo-2-methylphenylamino)-2-chlorobenzoyl]-*N*-(2-hydroxyethyl)-4-methylbenzamide (Compound 114);

3-[2-Chloro-4-(2,4-difluorophenylamino)benzoyl]-*N*-(2-hydroxyethyl)-4-methylbenzamide (Compound 115);

3-[4-(2-Aminophenylamino)-2-chlorobenzoyl]-*N*-(2-methoxyethyl)-4-methylbenzamide
(Compound 116),

3-[4-(2-Aminophenylamino)-2-chlorobenzoyl]-*N*-ethyl-4-methylbenzamide (Compound 117),

3-[4-(2-Aminophenylamino)-2-chlorobenzoyl]-*N*-(3-hydroxypropyl)-4-methylbenzamide
(Compound 118),

3-[2-Chloro-4-(4-fluoro-2-methylphenylamino)benzoyl]-*N*-(2-hydroxyethyl)-4-methylbenzamide
(Compound 119),

3-[2-Chloro-4-(4-chloro-2-fluoro-phenylamino)-benzoyl]-*N*-(2-hydroxy-ethyl)-4-methyl-
benzamide (Compound 120),

3-[2-Chloro-4-(4-chloro-2-fluoro-phenylamino)-benzoyl]-4,*N*-dimethyl-benzamide (Compound
121),

(2-{3-[2-Chloro-4-(4-chloro-2-fluoro-phenylamino)-benzoyl]-4-methyl-benzoylamino}-
acetylamino)-acetic acid ethyl ester (Compound 122),

{3-[2-Chloro-4-(4-chloro-2-fluoro-phenylamino)-benzoyl]-4-methyl-benzoylamino}-acetic acid
ethyl ester (Compound 123),

3-[2-Chloro-4-(4-chloro-2-fluoro-phenylamino)-benzoyl]-*N*-(2-methoxy-ethyl)-4-methyl-
benzamide (Compound 124),

3-[2-Chloro-4-(4-chloro-2-fluoro-phenylamino)-benzoyl]-*N*-cyclohexyl-4-methyl-benzamide
(Compound 125),

3-[2-Chloro-4-(4-chloro-2-fluoro-phenylamino)-benzoyl]-*N*-ethyl-4-methyl-benzamide
(Compound 126),

3-[2-Chloro-4-(4-chloro-2-fluoro-phenylamino)-benzoyl]-*N*-(6-hydroxy-hexyl)-4-methyl-benzamide (Compound 127),

3-[2-Chloro-4-(4-chloro-2-fluoro-phenylamino)-benzoyl]-*N*-isopropyl-4-methyl-benzamide (Compound 128),

3-[2-Chloro-4-(4-chloro-2-fluoro-phenylamino)-benzoyl]-*N*-isobutyl-4-methyl-benzamide (Compound 129),

3-[2-Chloro-4-(4-chloro-2-fluoro-phenylamino)-benzoyl]-*N*-(2,2-dimethyl-propyl)-4-methyl-benzamide (Compound 130),

3-[2-Chloro-4-(4-chloro-2-fluoro-phenylamino)-benzoyl]-*N*-(3-methoxy-propyl)-4-methyl-benzamide (Compound 131),

3-[2-Chloro-4-(4-chloro-2-fluoro-phenylamino)-benzoyl]-4-methyl-*N*-[3-(2-oxo-pyrrolidin-1-yl)-propyl]-benzamide (Compound 132),

3-[2-Chloro-4-(4-chloro-2-fluoro-phenylamino)-benzoyl]-*N*-(2-dimethylamino-ethyl)-4-methyl-benzamide (Compound 133),

2-Methyl-acrylic acid 2-{3-[2-chloro-4-(4-chloro-2-fluoro-phenylamino)-benzoyl]-4-methyl-benzoylamino}-ethyl ester (Compound 134),

3-[2-Chloro-4-(4-chloro-2-fluoro-phenylamino)-benzoyl]-*N*-cis-(4-hydroxy-cyclohexyl)-4-methyl-benzamide (Compound 135),

3-[2-Chloro-4-(4-chloro-2-fluoro-phenylamino)-benzoyl]-*N*-trans-(4-hydroxy-cyclohexyl)-4-methyl-benzamide (Compound 136),

2-{3-[2-Chloro-4-(4-chloro-2-fluoro-phenylamino)-benzoyl]-4-methyl-benzoylamino}-ethyl-carbamic acid tert-butyl ester (Compound 137),

N-(2-Amino-ethyl)-3-[2-chloro-4-(4-chloro-2-fluoro-phenylamino)-benzoyl]-4-methyl-benzamide (Compound 138),

(2-{3-[2-Chloro-4-(4-chloro-2-fluoro-phenylamino)-benzoyl]-4-methyl-benzoylamino}-acetyl-amino)-acetic acid (Compound 139),

3-[2-Chloro-4-(2,4-difluoro-phenylamino)-benzoyl]-*N*-(2-hydroxy-ethyl)-4-methoxy-benzamide (compound 140),

3-[2-Chloro-4-(2,4-difluoro-phenylamino)-benzoyl]-*N*-(2,2-difluoro-ethyl)-4-methoxy-benzamide (compound 141),

3-[2-Chloro-4-(2,4-difluoro-phenylamino)-benzoyl]-*N*-(2-fluoro-ethyl)-4-methoxy-benzamide (compound 142),

3-[2-Chloro-4-(2,4-difluoro-phenylamino)-benzoyl]-*N*-(2,3-dihydroxy-propyl)-4-methoxy-benzamide (compound 143),

N-Carbamoylmethyl-3-[2-chloro-4-(2,4-difluoro-phenylamino)-benzoyl]-4-methoxy-benzamide (compound 144),

N-Carbamoylmethyl-3-[2-chloro-4-(2,4-difluoro-phenylamino)-benzoyl]-4-methyl-benzamide (Compound 145),

N-Benzyl-3-[2-chloro-4-(2,4-difluoro-phenylamino)-benzoyl]-4-methyl-benzamide (compound 146),

3-[2-Chloro-4-(2,4-difluoro-phenylamino)-benzoyl]-*N*-(2-fluoro-ethyl)-4-methyl-benzamide (compound 147),

3-[2-Chloro-4-(2,4-difluoro-phenylamino)-benzoyl]-4-methyl-*N*-(2,2,2-trifluoro-ethyl)-benzamide (compound 148),

3-[2-Chloro-4-(2,4-difluoro-phenylamino)-benzoyl]-*N*-ethyl-4-methyl-benzamide (compound 149),

3-[2-Chloro-4-(2,4-difluoro-phenylamino)-benzoyl]-*N*-cyclohexylmethyl-4-methyl-benzamide (compound 150),

3-[2-Chloro-4-(2,4-difluoro-phenylamino)-benzoyl]-*N*-(2-hydroxy-propyl)-4-methyl-benzamide (compound 151),

3-[2-Chloro-4-(2,4-difluoro-phenylamino)-benzoyl]-*N*-(2,3-dihydroxy-propyl)-4-methyl-benzamide (compound 152),

3-[2-Chloro-4-(2,4-difluoro-phenylamino)-benzoyl]-*N*-(1-hydroxymethyl-propyl)-4-methyl-benzamide (compound 153),

3-[2-Chloro-4-(2,4-difluoro-phenylamino)-benzoyl]-4-methyl-*N*-(2,2,3,3,3-pentafluoro-propyl)-benzamide (compound 154),

3-[2-Chloro-4-(2,4-difluoro-phenylamino)-benzoyl]-*N*-(3-hydroxy-propyl)-4-methyl-benzamide (compound 155),

3-[2-Chloro-4-(2,4-difluoro-phenylamino)-benzoyl]-*N*-(2-hydroxy-1,1-dimethyl-ethyl)-4-methyl-benzamide (compound 156),

3-[2-Chloro-4-(2,4-difluoro-phenylamino)-benzoyl]-*N*-(2-hydroxy-1-hydroxymethyl-1-methyl-ethyl)-4-methyl-benzamide (compound 157),

{3-[2-Chloro-4-(2,4-difluoro-phenylamino)-benzoyl]-4-methyl-benzoylamino}-acetic acid ethyl ester (compound 158),

3-[2-Chloro-4-(2,4-difluoro-phenylamino)-benzoyl]-*N*-(4-hydroxy-butyl)-4-methyl-benzamide (compound 159),

3-[2-Chloro-4-(2,4-difluoro-phenylamino)-benzoyl]-*N*-(3-hydroxy-1,1-dimethyl-butyl)-4-methyl-benzamide (compound 160),

3-[2-Chloro-4-(2,4-difluoro-phenylamino)-benzoyl]-4-methyl-*N*-(3-phenyl-propyl)-benzamide (compound 161),

(*R*)-3-[2-Chloro-4-(2,4-difluoro-phenylamino)-benzoyl]-*N*-(1-hydroxymethyl-3-methyl-butyl)-4-methyl-benzamide (compound 162),

3-[4-(2,4-Difluoro-phenylamino)-benzoyl]-*N*-(2-fluoro-ethyl)-4-methyl-benzamide (compound 163),

3-[2-Chloro-4-(2,4-difluoro-phenylamino)-benzoyl]-*N*-isopropyl-4-methyl-benzamide (compound 164),

3-[2-Chloro-4-(2,4-difluoro-phenylamino)-benzoyl]-*N*-cyclohexyl-4-methyl-benzamide (compound 165),

3-[2-Chloro-4-(2,4-difluoro-phenylamino)-benzoyl]-*N*-(2,2-difluoro-ethyl)-4-methyl-benzamide (compound 166),

5-{3-[2-Chloro-4-(2,4-difluoro-phenylamino)-benzoyl]-4-methyl-benzoylamino}-4-oxo-pentanoic acid methyl ester (compound 167),

N-[(2-Carbamoyl-ethylcarbamoyl)-methyl]-3-[2-chloro-4-(2,4-difluoro-phenylamino)-benzoyl]-4-methyl-benzamide (compound 168),

(2-{3-[2-Chloro-4-(2,4-difluoro-phenylamino)-benzoyl]-4-methyl-benzoylamino}-acetyl-amino)-acetic acid ethyl ester (compound 169),

N-Allyl-3-[2-chloro-4-(2,4-difluoro-phenylamino)-benzoyl]-4-methyl-benzamide (compound 170),

3-[2-Chloro-4-(2,4-difluoro-phenylamino)-benzoyl]-4-methyl-*N*-(2-sulfamoyl-ethyl)-benzamide (compound 171),

N-(2-Acetylamino-ethyl)-3-[2-chloro-4-(2,4-difluoro-phenylamino)-benzoyl]-4-methyl-benzamide (compound 172),

3-[2-Chloro-4-(2,6-difluoro-phenylamino)-benzoyl]-*N*-(2-hydroxy-ethyl)-4-methoxy-benzamide (compound 173),

3-[2-Chloro-4-(2,6-difluoro-phenylamino)-benzoyl]-*N*-(2-fluoro-ethyl)-4-methoxy-benzamide (compound 174),

3-[2-Chloro-4-(2,6-difluoro-phenylamino)-benzoyl]-*N*-(2,3-dihydroxy-propyl)-4-methoxy-benzamide (compound 175),

3-[2-Chloro-4-(2,6-difluoro-phenylamino)-benzoyl]-*N*-(3-hydroxy-propyl)-4-methoxy-benzamide (compound 176),

3-[2-Chloro-4-(2,6-difluoro-phenylamino)-benzoyl]-4-methoxy-*N*-phenethyl-benzamide (compound 177),

3-[2-Chloro-4-(2,6-difluoro-phenylamino)-benzoyl]-*N*-(2-hydroxy-1,1-dimethyl-ethyl)-4-methoxy-benzamide (compound 178),

3-[2-Chloro-4-(2,6-difluoro-phenylamino)-benzoyl]-4-methoxy-*N*-(2-morpholin-4-yl-ethyl)-benzamide (compound 179),

3-[2-Chloro-4-(2,6-difluoro-phenylamino)-benzoyl]-*N*-(2-hydroxy-1-hydroxymethyl-1-methyl-ethyl)-4-methoxy-benzamide (compound 180),

3-[2-Chloro-4-(2,6-difluoro-phenylamino)-benzoyl]-*N*-(2-hydroxy-ethyl)-4-methoxy-*N*-methyl-benzamide (compound 181),

{3-[2-Chloro-4-(2,6-difluoro-phenylamino)-benzoyl]-4-methoxy-benzoylamino}-acetic acid ethyl ester (compound 182),

(2-{3-[2-Chloro-4-(2,6-difluoro-phenylamino)-benzoyl]-4-methoxy-benzoylamino}-acetylamino)-acetic acid ethyl ester (compound 183),

3-[2-Chloro-4-(2,6-difluoro-phenylamino)-benzoyl]-*N,N*-bis-(2-hydroxy-ethyl)-4-methoxy-benzamide (compound 184),

3-[2-Chloro-4-(2,6-difluoro-phenylamino)-benzoyl]-4-methoxy-*N,N*-bis-(2-methoxy-ethyl)-benzamide (compound 185),

3-[2-Chloro-4-(3-fluoro-2-methyl-phenylamino)-benzoyl]-*N*-(2-hydroxy-ethyl)-4-methyl-benzamide (compound 186),

3-[2-Chloro-4-(3-fluoro-2-methyl-phenylamino)-benzoyl]-4-methyl-*N*-(2,2,2-trifluoro-ethyl)-benzamide (compound 187),

3-[2-Chloro-4-(2-chloro-4-fluoro-phenylamino)-benzoyl]-*N*-(2-hydroxy-ethyl)-4-methyl-benzamide (compound 188),

3-[2-Chloro-4-(2-chloro-4-fluoro-phenylamino)-benzoyl]-4-methyl-*N*-(2,2,2-trifluoro-ethyl)-benzamide (compound 189),

3-[2-Chloro-4-(4-fluoro-phenylamino)-benzoyl]-*N*-(2-hydroxy-ethyl)-4-methyl-benzamide (compound 190),

3-(2-Chloro-4-phenylamino-benzoyl)-*N*-(2-hydroxy-ethyl)-4-methyl-benzamide (compound 191),

3-[2-Chloro-4-(3,5-difluoro-phenylamino)-benzoyl]-*N*-(2-hydroxy-ethyl)-4-methyl-benzamide (compound 192),

3-[2-Chloro-4-(3-fluoro-phenylamino)-benzoyl]-*N*-(2-hydroxy-ethyl)-4-methyl-benzamide (compound 193),

3-[2-Chloro-4-(4-fluoro-phenylamino)-benzoyl]-*N*-(2-hydroxy-ethyl)-4-methoxy-benzamide (compound 194),

3-(2-Chloro-4-phenylamino-benzoyl)-*N*-(2-hydroxy-ethyl)-4-methoxy-benzamide (compound 195),

3-[2-Chloro-4-(4-fluoro-phenylamino)-benzoyl]-*N*-(2,2-difluoro-ethyl)-4-methoxy-benzamide (compound 196),

3-[2-Chloro-4-(4-fluoro-phenylamino)-benzoyl]-*N*-(2-fluoro-ethyl)-4-methoxy-benzamide (compound 197),

3-[2-Chloro-4-(4-fluoro-phenylamino)-benzoyl]-*N*-(2,3-dihydroxy-propyl)-4-methoxy-benzamide (compound 198),

N-Carbamoylmethyl-3-[2-chloro-4-(4-fluoro-phenylamino)-benzoyl]-4-methoxy-benzamide (compound 199),

3-(2-Chloro-4-phenylamino-benzoyl)-*N*-(2,2-difluoro-ethyl)-4-methoxy-benzamide (compound 200),

3-(2-Chloro-4-phenylamino-benzoyl)-*N*-(2-fluoro-ethyl)-4-methoxy-benzamide (compound 201),

3-(2-Chloro-4-phenylamino-benzoyl)-*N*-(2,3-dihydroxy-propyl)-4-methoxy-benzamide (compound 202),

N-Carbamoylmethyl-3-(2-chloro-4-phenylamino-benzoyl)-4-methoxy-benzamide (compound 203),

4-Chloro-3-[2-chloro-4-(2,4-difluoro-phenylamino)-benzoyl]-*N*-(2-hydroxy-ethyl)-benzamide (compound 204),

(2-{3-Chloro-4-[5-(2-hydroxy-ethylcarbamoyl)-2-methyl-benzoyl]-phenylamino}-phenyl)-carbamic acid ethyl ester (compound 205),

3-[2-Chloro-4-(2-propionylamino-phenylamino)-benzoyl]-*N*-(2-hydroxy-ethyl)-4-methyl-benzamide (compound 206),

3-[4-(2-Acetyl-amino-phenylamino)-2-chloro-benzoyl]-*N*-(2-hydroxy-ethyl)-4-methyl-benzamide (compound 207),

N-(2-{3-Chloro-4-[5-(2-hydroxy-ethylcarbamoyl)-2-methyl-benzoyl]-phenylamino}-phenyl)-succinamic acid (compound 208),

3-(2-Chloro-4-[2-{3-(2-hydroxy-ethyl)-ureido}-phenylamino]-benzoyl)-*N*-(2-hydroxy-ethyl)-4-methyl-benzamide (compound 209),

[2-Chloro-4-(4-fluoro-2-methyl-phenylamino)-phenyl]-[2-methyl-4-(morpholine-4-carbonyl)-phenyl]-methanone (compound 210),

[4-(2-Amino-phenylamino)-2-chloro-phenyl]-[2-methyl-4-[2-(tetrahydro-pyran-2-yloxy)-ethoxy]-phenyl]-methanone (compound 211),

[4-(2-Amino-phenylamino)-2-chloro-phenyl]-[4-(2-hydroxy-ethoxy)-2-methyl-phenyl]-methanone (compound 212),

[4-(2-Amino-4-bromo-phenylamino)-2-chloro-phenyl]-[2-methyl-4-[2-(tetrahydro-pyran-2-yloxy)-ethoxy]-phenyl]-methanone (compound 213),

[4-(2-Amino-4-bromo-phenylamino)-2-chloro-phenyl]-[4-(2-hydroxy-ethoxy)-2-methyl-phenyl]-methanone (compound 214),

[4-(2-Amino-4-bromo-phenylamino)-2-chloro-phenyl]-[2-methyl-4-[3-(tetrahydro-pyran-2-yloxy)-propoxy]-phenyl]-methanone (compound 215);

[4-(2-Amino-4-bromo-phenylamino)-2-chloro-phenyl]-[4-(3-hydroxy-propoxy)-2-methyl-phenyl]-methanone (compound 216);

[4-(2-Amino-4-bromo-phenylamino)-2-chloro-phenyl]-[4-(2-fluoro-ethoxy)-2-methyl-phenyl]-methanone (compound 217);

[4-(4-Bromo-2-methyl-phenylamino)-2-chloro-phenyl]-[4-(2-fluoro-ethoxy)-2-methyl-phenyl]-methanone (compound 218);

[4-(2-Amino-4-bromo-phenylamino)-2-chloro-phenyl]-[4-(2-methoxy-ethoxy)-2-methyl-phenyl]-methanone (compound 219);

[4-(4-Bromo-2-methyl-phenylamino)-2-chloro-phenyl]-[2-methyl-4-[2-(tetrahydro-pyran-2-yloxy)-ethoxy]-phenyl]-methanone (compound 220);

[4-(4-Bromo-2-methyl-phenylamino)-2-chloro-phenyl]-[4-(2-hydroxy-ethoxy)-2-methyl-phenyl]-methanone (compound 221);

[4-(2-Azido-ethoxy)-2-methyl-phenyl]-[4-(4-bromo-2-methyl-phenylamino)-2-chloro-phenyl]-methanone (compound 222);

[4-(2-Amino-ethoxy)-2-methyl-phenyl]-[4-(4-bromo-2-methyl-phenylamino)-2-chloro-phenyl]-methanone (compound 223);

[4-(2-Bromo-phenylamino)-2-chloro-phenyl]-[2-methyl-4-[2-(tetrahydro-pyran-2-yloxy)-ethoxy]-phenyl]-methanone (compound 224);

[4-[2-(3-Amino-propenyl)-phenylamino]-2-chloro-phenyl]-[2-methyl-4-[2-(tetrahydro-pyran-2-yloxy)-ethoxy]-phenyl]-methanone (compound 225);

[4-[2-(3-Amino-propenyl)-phenylamino]-2-chloro-phenyl]-[4-(2-hydroxy-ethoxy)-2-methyl-phenyl]-methanone (compound 226);

1-(2-[3-Chloro-4-[4-(2-hydroxy-ethoxy)-2-methyl-benzoyl]-phenylamino]-phenyl)-3-ethyl-urea (compound 227);

1-[5-Bromo-2-(3-chloro-4-[2-methyl-4-[2-(tetrahydro-pyran-2-yloxy)-ethoxy]-benzoyl]-phenylamino)-phenyl]-3-ethyl-urea (compound 228);

1-(5-Bromo-2-[3-chloro-4-[4-(2-hydroxy-ethoxy)-2-methyl-benzoyl]-phenylamino]-phenyl)-3-ethyl-urea (compound 229);

1-[5-Bromo-2-(3-chloro-4-[2-methyl-4-[2-(tetrahydro-pyran-2-yloxy)-ethoxy]-benzoyl]-phenylamino)-phenyl]-3-cyclohexyl-urea (compound 230);

1-[5-Bromo-2-(3-chloro-4-[2-methyl-4-[2-(tetrahydro-pyran-2-yloxy)-ethoxy]-benzoyl]-phenylamino)-phenyl]-3-(2-hydroxy-ethyl)-urea (compound 231);

1-(5-Bromo-2-[3-chloro-4-[4-(2-hydroxy-ethoxy)-2-methyl-benzoyl]-phenylamino]-phenyl)-3-(2-hydroxy-ethyl)-urea (compound 232);

N-[5-Bromo-2-(3-chloro-4-[2-methyl-4-[2-(tetrahydro-pyran-2-yloxy)-ethoxy]-benzoyl]-phenylamino)-phenyl]-succinamic acid (compound 233);

(4-Allyloxy-2-methyl-phenyl)-[4-(2-amino-4-bromo-phenylamino)-2-chloro-phenyl]-methanone (compound 234);

N-(2-[4-(4-Allyloxy-2-methyl-benzoyl)-3-chloro-phenylamino]-5-bromo-phenyl)-acetamide (compound 235);

1-(2-[4-(4-Allyloxy-2-methyl-benzoyl)-3-chloro-phenylamino]-5-bromo-phenyl)-3-ethyl-urea (compound 236);

{2-[4-(4-Allyloxy-2-methyl-benzoyl)-3-chloro-phenylamino]-5-bromo-phenyl}-carbamic acid ethyl-ester (compound 237),

N-(2-[4-(4-Allyloxy-2-methyl-benzoyl)-3-chloro-phenylamino]-5-bromo-phenyl)-2,2,2-trifluoro-acetamide (compound 238),

N-(2-[4-(4-Allyloxy-2-methyl-benzoyl)-3-chloro-phenylamino]-5-bromo-phenyl)-succinamic acid (compound 239),

{2-[4-(4-Allyloxy-2-methyl-benzoyl)-3-chloro-phenylamino]-5-bromo-phenyl}-carbamic acid cyclopentyl-ester (compound 240),

N-(3-[2-Chloro-4-(2,4-difluoro-phenylamino)-benzoyl]-4-methyl-phenyl)-3-methoxy-propionamide (compound 241),

N-(3-[2-Chloro-4-(2,4-difluoro-phenylamino)-benzoyl]-4-methyl-phenyl)-propionamide (compound 242),

N-(3-[2-Chloro-4-(2,4-difluoro-phenylamino)-benzoyl]-4-methyl-phenyl)-2-(2-methoxy-ethoxy)-acetamide (compound 243),

N-(3-[2-Chloro-4-(2,4-difluoro-phenylamino)-benzoyl]-4-methyl-phenyl)-3-morpholin-4-yl-propionamide (compound 244),

N-(3-[2-Chloro-4-(2,4-difluoro-phenylamino)-benzoyl]-4-methyl-phenyl)-3-hydroxy-propionamide (compound 245),

N-(3-[2-Chloro-4-(2,4-difluoro-phenylamino)-benzoyl]-4-methyl-phenyl)-3-furan-2-yl-propionamide (compound 246),

N-(3-[2-Chloro-4-(2,4-difluoro-phenylamino)-benzoyl]-4-methyl-phenyl)-2-hydroxy-benzamide (compound 247),

N-{3-[2-Chloro-4-(2,4-difluoro-phenylamino)-benzoyl]-4-methyl-phenyl}-2-(2,5-dioxo-imidazolidin-4-yl)-acetamide (compound 248),

2,6-Dioxo-hexahydro-pyrimidine-4-carboxylic acid {3-[2-chloro-4-(2,4-difluoro-phenylamino)-benzoyl]-4-methyl-phenyl}-amide (compound 249),

Acrylic acid 2-{3-[2-chloro-4-(2,4-difluoro-phenylamino)-benzoyl]-4-methyl-phenylcarbamoyl}-ethyl ester (compound 250),

N-{3-[2-Chloro-4-(2,4-difluoro-phenylamino)-benzoyl]-4-methyl-phenyl}-3-methylsulfanyl-propionamide (compound 251),

N-{3-[2-Chloro-4-(2,4-difluoro-phenylamino)-benzoyl]-4-methyl-phenyl}-3-methanesulfonyl-propionamide (compound 252),

Ethanesulfonic acid {3-[2-chloro-4-(2,4-difluoro-phenylamino)-benzoyl]-4-methyl-phenyl}-amide (compound 253),

N-{3-[2-Chloro-4-(2,4-difluoro-phenylamino)-benzoyl]-4-methyl-phenyl}-4-methoxy-benzenesulfonamide (compound 254),

N-(5-{3-[2-Chloro-4-(2,4-difluoro-phenylamino)-benzoyl]-4-methyl-phenylsulfamoyl}-4-methyl-thiazol-2-yl)-acetamide (compound 255),

5-Acetyl-2-chloro-*N*-{3-[2-chloro-4-(2,4-difluoro-phenylamino)-benzoyl]-4-methyl-phenyl}-benzenesulfonamide (compound 256),

Naphthalene-2-sulfonic acid {3-[2-chloro-4-(2,4-difluoro-phenylamino)-benzoyl]-4-methyl-phenyl}-amide (compound 257),

N-{3-[2-Chloro-4-(2,4-difluoro-phenylamino)-benzoyl]-4-methyl-phenyl}-*C*-phenyl-methanesulfonamide (compound 258),

2-Methyl-acrylic acid 2-(3-{3-[2-chloro-4-(2,4-difluoro-phenylamino)-benzoyl]-4-methyl-phenyl}-ureido)-ethyl ester (compound 259),

1-{3-[2-Chloro-4-(2,4-difluoro-phenylamino)-benzoyl]-4-methyl-phenyl}-3-(2-hydroxy-ethyl)-urea (compound 260),

(3-{3-[2-Chloro-4-(2,4-difluoro-phenylamino)-benzoyl]-4-methyl-phenyl}-ureido)-acetic acid ethyl ester (compound 261),

1-{3-[2-Chloro-4-(2,4-difluoro-phenylamino)-benzoyl]-4-methyl-phenyl}-3-(3-methoxy-phenyl)-urea (compound 262),

1-{3-[2-Chloro-4-(2,4-difluoro-phenylamino)-benzoyl]-4-methyl-phenyl}-3-(3-trifluoromethyl-phenyl)-urea (compound 263),

1-{3-[2-Chloro-4-(2,4-difluoro-phenylamino)-benzoyl]-4-methyl-phenyl}-3-propyl-urea (compound 264),

3-(3-{3-[2-Chloro-4-(2,4-difluoro-phenylamino)-benzoyl]-4-methyl-phenyl}-ureido)-propionic acid ethyl ester (compound 265),

1-{3-[2-Chloro-4-(2,4-difluoro-phenylamino)-benzoyl]-4-methyl-phenyl}-3-cyclohexyl-urea (compound 266),

1-Allyl-3-{3-[2-chloro-4-(2,4-difluoro-phenylamino)-benzoyl]-4-methyl-phenyl}-urea (compound 267),

1-Benzyl-3-{3-[2-chloro-4-(2,4-difluoro-phenylamino)-benzoyl]-4-methyl-phenyl}-urea (compound 268),

1-{3-[2-Chloro-4-(2,4-difluoro-phenylamino)-benzoyl]-4-methyl-phenyl}-3-ethyl-urea (compound 269),

1-{3-[2-Chloro-4-(2,4-difluoro-phenylamino)-benzoyl]-4-methyl-phenyl}-3-phenyl-urea

(compound 270),

1-Butyl-3-{3-[2-chloro-4-(2,4-difluoro-phenylamino)-benzoyl]-4-methyl-phenyl}-urea

(compound 271),

1-{3-[2-Chloro-4-(2,4-difluoro-phenylamino)-benzoyl]-4-methyl-phenyl}-3-phenethyl-urea

(compound 272),

2-(3-{3-[2-Chloro-4-(2,4-difluoro-phenylamino)-benzoyl]-4-methyl-phenyl}-ureido)-benzoic acid methyl ester (compound 273),

1-{3-[2-Chloro-4-(2,4-difluoro-phenylamino)-benzoyl]-4-methyl-phenyl}-3-(3-cyano-phenyl)-urea (compound 274),

1-{3-[2-Chloro-4-(2,4-difluoro-phenylamino)-benzoyl]-4-methyl-phenyl}-3-isopropyl-urea (compound 275),

1-{3-[2-Chloro-4-(2,4-difluoro-phenylamino)-benzoyl]-4-methyl-phenyl}-3-(4-methoxy-phenyl)-urea (compound 276),

{3-[2-Chloro-4-(2,4-difluoro-phenylamino)-benzoyl]-4-methyl-phenyl}-carbamic acid benzyl ester (compound 277),

{3-[2-Chloro-4-(2,4-difluoro-phenylamino)-benzoyl]-4-methyl-phenyl}-carbamic acid allyl ester (compound 278),

{3-[2-Chloro-4-(2,4-difluoro-phenylamino)-benzoyl]-4-methyl-phenyl}-carbamic acid ethyl ester (compound 279),

[2-Chloro-4-(2,4-difluoro-phenylamino)-phenyl]-[5-(3-hydroxy-butylamino)-2-methyl-phenyl]-methanone (compound 281),

[2-Chloro-4-(2,4-difluoro-phenylamino)-phenyl]-(3'-hydroxymethyl-4-methyl-biphenyl-3-yl)-methanone (compound 282),

[2-Chloro-4-(2,4-difluoro-phenylamino)-phenyl]-(3'-hydroxy-4-methyl-biphenyl-3-yl)-methanone (compound 283),

[2-Chloro-4-(2,4-difluoro-phenylamino)-phenyl]-(4'-methoxy-4-methyl-biphenyl-3-yl)-methanone (compound 284),

N-{3'-[2-Chloro-4-(2,4-difluoro-phenylamino)-benzoyl]-4'-methyl-biphenyl-3-yl}-acetamide (compound 285),

[2-Chloro-4-(2,4-difluoro-phenylamino)-phenyl]-(4-methyl-3'-trifluoromethoxy-biphenyl-3-yl)-methanone (compound 286),

[2-Chloro-4-(2,4-difluoro-phenylamino)-phenyl]-(3',4',5'-trifluoro-4-methyl-biphenyl-3-yl)-methanone (compound 288),

[2-Chloro-4-(2,4-difluoro-phenylamino)-phenyl]-(3',4'-dimethoxy-4-methyl-biphenyl-3-yl)-methanone (289),

3'-[2-Chloro-4-(2,4-difluoro-phenylamino)-benzoyl]-4'-methyl-biphenyl-3-carbonitrile (compound 290),

3-[2-Chloro-4-(2,4-difluoro-phenylamino)-benzoyl]-*N*-(2-hydroxy-ethyl)-4-methyl-benzenesulfonamide (compound 291),

3-[2-Chloro-4-(2,4-difluoro-phenylamino)-benzoyl]-4-methyl-*N*-(2-morpholin-4-yl-ethyl)-benzenesulfonamide (compound 292),

N-Allyl-3-[2-chloro-4-(2,4-difluoro-phenylamino)-benzoyl]-4-methyl-benzenesulfonamide (compound 293),

N-(2-{3-[2-Chloro-4-(2,4-difluoro-phenylamino)-benzoyl]-4-methyl-benzenesulfonylamino}-ethyl)-acetamide (compound 294),

3-[2-Chloro-4-(2,4-difluoro-phenylamino)-benzoyl]-4-methyl-*N*-propyl-benzenesulfonamide (compound 295),

3-[2-Chloro-4-(2,4-difluoro-phenylamino)-benzoyl]-*N*-(2,3-dihydroxy-propyl)-4-methyl-benzenesulfonamide (compound 296),

3-[2-Chloro-4-(2,4-difluoro-phenylamino)-benzoyl]-*N*-(2-methoxy-ethyl)-4-methyl-benzenesulfonamide (compound 297),

[4 (4 Fluoro 2-methyl-phenylamino) 2-nitro-phenyl]-[5 (4-methoxy-benzoyloxy) 2-methyl-phenyl]-methanone (compound 298),

[4 (4 Fluoro 2-methyl-phenylamino) 2-nitro-phenyl]-[5 (3-hydroxy-propoxy) 2-methyl-phenyl]-methanone (compound 299),

[2-Amino 4 (4 fluoro 2-methyl-phenylamino)-phenyl]-[5 (3-hydroxy-propoxy) 2-methyl-phenyl]-methanone (compound 300),

[5 (2,2-Dimethyl-[1,3]dioxolan-4-ylmethoxy) 2-methyl-phenyl]-[4 (4 fluoro 2-methyl-phenylamino) 2-nitro-phenyl]-methanone (compound 301),

[5 (2,3-Dihydroxy-propoxy) 2-methyl-phenyl]-[4 (4 fluoro 2-methyl-phenylamino) 2-nitro-phenyl]-methanone (compound 302),

[2-Amino 4 (4 fluoro 2-methyl-phenylamino)-phenyl]-[5 (2,3-dihydroxy-propoxy) 2-methyl-phenyl]-methanone (303),

[4 (4 Fluoro 2-methyl-phenylamino) 2-nitro-phenyl]-[2-methyl-5-(2-morpholin-4-yl-ethoxy)-phenyl]-methanone (304),

[2-Amino-4-(4-fluoro-2-methyl-phenylamino)-phenyl]-[2-methyl-5-(2-morpholin-4-yl-ethoxy)-phenyl]-methanone (compound 305),

[4-(2,4-Difluoro-phenylamino)-2-nitro-phenyl]-[5-(4-methoxy-benzyloxy)-2-methyl-phenyl]-methanone (Compound 306),

[4-(2,4-Difluoro-phenylamino)-2-nitro-phenyl]-[5-(3-hydroxy-propoxy)-2-methyl-phenyl]-methanone (Compound 307),

[2-Amino-4-(2,4-difluoro-phenylamino)-phenyl]-[5-(3-hydroxy-propoxy)-2-methyl-phenyl]-methanone (compound 308),

[4-(2,4-Difluoro-phenylamino)-2-nitro-phenyl]-[2-methyl-5-(2-morpholin-4-yl-ethoxy)-phenyl]-methanone (compound 309),

[2-Amino-4-(2,4-difluoro-phenylamino)-phenyl]-[2-methyl-5-(2-morpholin-4-yl-ethoxy)-phenyl]-methanone (compound 310),

[4-(2,4-Difluoro-phenylamino)-2-nitro-phenyl]-[5-(2,2-dimethyl-[1,3]dioxolan-4-ylmethoxy)-2-methyl-phenyl]-methanone (compound 311),

[4-(2,4-Difluoro-phenylamino)-2-nitro-phenyl]-[5-(2,3-dihydroxy-propoxy)-2-methyl-phenyl]-methanone (compound 312),

[2-Amino-4-(2,4-difluoro-phenylamino)-phenyl]-[5-(2,3-dihydroxy-propoxy)-2-methyl-phenyl]-methanone (compound 313),

[2-Chloro-4-(2,4-difluoro-phenylamino)-phenyl]-[2-fluoro-5-(3-hydroxy-propoxy)-phenyl]-methanone (compound 314),

[2-Chloro-4-(2,4-difluoro-phenylamino)-phenyl]-[5-(2,2-dimethyl-[1,3]dioxolan-4-ylmethoxy)-2-fluoro-phenyl]-methanone (compound 315),

[2-Chloro-4-(2,4-difluoro-phenylamino)-phenyl]-[5-(2,3-dihydroxy-propoxy)-2-fluoro-phenyl]-methanone (Compound 316),

2-{3-[2-Chloro-4-(4-chloro-2-methyl-phenylamino)-benzoyl]-4-fluoro-phenoxy}-N-methyl-acetamide (compound 317),

[2-Chloro-4-(4-chloro-2-methyl-phenylamino)-phenyl]-[2-fluoro-5-(3-hydroxy-propoxy)-phenyl]-methanone (compound 318),

2-{3-[2-Chloro-4-(4-chloro-2-methyl-phenylamino)-benzoyl]-4-fluoro-phenoxy}-N,N-dimethyl-acetamide (compound 319),

[2-Chloro-4-(4-chloro-2-methyl-phenylamino)-phenyl]-[5-(2,2-dimethyl-[1,3]dioxolan-4-ylmethoxy)-2-fluoro-phenyl]-methanone (compound 320),

[2-Chloro-4-(4-chloro-2-methyl-phenylamino)-phenyl]-[5-(2,3-dihydroxy-propoxy)-2-fluoro-phenyl]-methanone (compound 321),

[2-Chloro-4-(4-fluoro-2-methyl-phenylamino)-phenyl]-[2-fluoro-5-(3-hydroxy-propoxy)-phenyl]-methanone (compound 322),

[2-Chloro-4-(4-fluoro-phenylamino)-phenyl]-[2-fluoro-5-(3-hydroxy-propoxy)-phenyl]-methanone (compound 323),

[2-Chloro-4-(4-fluoro-phenylamino)-phenyl]-[5-(2,2-dimethyl-[1,3]dioxolan-4-ylmethoxy)-2-fluoro-phenyl]-methanone (compound 324),

[2-Chloro-4-(2-chloro-4-fluoro-phenylamino)-phenyl]-[2-fluoro-5-(3-hydroxy-propoxy)-phenyl]-methanone (compound 325),

[4-(2-Amino-phenylamino)-2-chloro-phenyl]-[5-(2,3-dihydroxy-propoxy)-2-fluoro-phenyl]-methanone (compound 326),

[4-(2-Amino-phenylamino)-2-chloro-phenyl]-[2-fluoro-5-(2-morpholin-4-yl-ethoxy)-phenyl]-methanone (compound 327),

[2-Chloro-4-(2,6-difluoro-phenylamino)-phenyl]-[2-chloro-5-(2-morpholin-4-yl-ethoxy)-phenyl]-methanone (compound 328),

(±)-[2-Chloro-4-(2,6-difluoro-phenylamino)-phenyl]-[2-chloro-5-(2,3-dihydroxy-propoxy)-phenyl]-methanone (compound 329),

[5-(3-Bromo-propoxy)-2-chloro-phenyl]-[2-chloro-4-(2,6-difluoro-phenylamino)-phenyl]-methanone (compound 330),

[2-Chloro-4-(2,4-difluoro-phenylamino)-phenyl]-(5-hydroxymethyl-2-methyl-phenyl)-methanone (compound 331),

[2-Chloro-4-(2,4-difluoro-phenylamino)-phenyl]-(5-chloromethyl-2-methyl-phenyl)-methanone (compound 332),

(5-Azidomethyl-2-methyl-phenyl)-[2-chloro-4-(2,4-difluoro-phenylamino)-phenyl]-methanone (compound 333),

(5-Aminomethyl-2-methyl-phenyl)-[2-chloro-4-(2,4-difluoro-phenylamino)-phenyl]-methanone (compound 334),

[2-Chloro-4-(2,4-difluoro-phenylamino)-phenyl]-(5-hydroxymethyl-2-methoxy-phenyl)-methanone (compound 335),

Acetic acid 3-[2-chloro-4-(2,4-difluoro-phenylamino)-benzoyl]-4-methoxy-benzyl ester (compound 336),

N-tert-Butoxy-3-[2-chloro-4-(2,4-difluoro-phenylamino)-benzoyl]-4-methoxy-benzamide (compound 337),

3-[2-Chloro-4-(2,4-difluoro-phenylamino)-benzoyl]-*N*-methoxy-4-methyl-benzamide

(compound 338),

N-Butoxy-3-[2-chloro-4-(2,4-difluoro-phenylamino)-benzoyl]-4-methyl-benzamide (compound

339),

3-[2-Chloro-4-(2,4-difluoro-phenylamino)-benzoyl]-*N*-cyclohexylmethoxy-4-methyl-benzamide

(compound 340),

3-[2-Chloro-4-(2,4-difluoro-phenylamino)-benzoyl]-4-methyl-*N*-(2-methyl-thiazol-4-

ylmethoxy)-benzamide (compound 341),

N-benzyloxy-3-[2-chloro-4-(2,4-difluoro-phenylamino)-benzoyl]-4-methyl-benzamide

(compound 342),

3-[2-Chloro-4-(2,4-difluoro-phenylamino)-benzoyl]-*N*-(4-methoxy-benzyloxy)-4-methyl-

benzamide (compound 343),

3-[2-Chloro-4-(2,4-difluoro-phenylamino)-benzoyl]-4-methyl-benzoic acid *N,N'*-dimethyl-

hydrazide (compound 344),

3-[2-Chloro-4-(2,4-difluoro-phenylamino)-benzoyl]-4-methyl-*N*-morpholin-4-yl-benzamide

(compound 345),

3-[2-Chloro-4-(2,4-difluoro-phenylamino)-benzoyl]-*N*-hydroxy-4-methyl-benzamide (compound

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(compound 347),

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[2-Chloro-4-(4-fluoro-2-methyl-phenylamino)-phenyl]-[2-methyl-5-(1H-tetrazol-5-yl)-phenyl]-methanone (compound 358),

[4-(2-Amino-phenylamino)-2-chloro-phenyl]-[5-ethynyl-2-methyl-phenyl]-methanone (compound 359),

[4-(2-Amino-phenylamino)-2-chloro-phenyl]-(2-methyl-5-[1-[2-(tetrahydro-pyran-2-yloxy)-ethyl]-1H-[1,2,3]triazol-4-yl]-phenyl)-methanone (compound 360),

[4-(2-Amino-phenylamino)-2-chloro-phenyl]-{5-[1-(2-hydroxy-ethyl)-1H-[1,2,3]triazol-4-yl]-2-methyl-phenyl}-methanone (compound 361),

[2-Chloro-4-(2,4-difluoro-phenylamino)-phenyl]-(5-ethynyl-2-methyl-phenyl)-methanone (compound 362),

3-[2-Chloro-4-(4-fluoro-phenylamino)-benzoyl]-4-methyl-benzoic acid hydrazide (compound 363),

3-[2-Chloro-4-(2,4-difluoro-phenylamino)-benzoyl]-4-methyl-benzoic acid hydrazide (compound 364),

1-{3-[2-Chloro-4-(2,4-difluoro-phenylamino)-benzoyl]-4-methyl-benzoyl}-4-ethyl-3-thio semicarbazide (compound 365),

[2-Chloro-4-(2,4-difluoro-phenylamino)-phenyl]-[5-(5-ethylamino-[1,3,4]thiadiazol-2-yl)-2-methyl-phenyl]-methanone (compound 366),

[2-Chloro-4-(2,4-difluoro-phenylamino)-phenyl]-[2-methyl-5-(1H-tetrazol-5-yl)-phenyl]-methanone (compound 367),

3-{3-[2-Chloro-4-(2,4-difluoro-phenylamino)-benzoyl]-4-methyl-phenyl}-3-oxo-propionic acid ethyl ester (compound 368),

[2-Chloro-4-(2,4-difluoro-phenylamino)-phenyl]-[5-(4,5-dihydro-oxazol-2-yl)-2-methyl-phenyl]-methanone (compound 369),

3-[2-Chloro-4-[2-(3-ethyl-ureido)-phenylamino]-benzoyl]-N-(2-hydroxy-ethyl)-4-methyl-benzamide (compound 370),

3-[2-Chloro-4-(2-nitrophenylamino)benzoyl]-N-(2-hydroxyethyl)-4-methylbenzamide

(Compound 417);

3-[4-(4-Bromo-2-nitrophenylamino)-2-chlorobenzoyl]-N-(2-hydroxyethyl)-4-methylbenzamide

(Compound 420);

3-[4-(4-Bromo-2-methylphenylamino)-2-chlorobenzoyl]-4-methylbenzoic acid (Compound 422);

3-[2-Chloro-4-(2,4-difluorophenylamino)benzoyl]-4-methylbenzoic acid (Compound 424),

2-Methylacrylic acid 2-{3-[2-chloro-4-(2,4-difluorophenylamino)benzoyl]-4-methylbenzoylamino}ethyl ester (Compound 425),

3-[2-Chloro-4-(2-nitrophenylamino)benzoyl]-N-(2-methoxyethyl)-4-methylbenzamide

(Compound 426);

3-[2-Chloro-4-(4-chloro-2-fluoro-phenylamino)-benzoyl]-4-methyl-benzoic acid (Compound 432),

3-[2-Chloro-4-(2,4-difluoro-phenylamino)-benzoyl]-4-methoxy-benzoic acid (compound 437),

3-[2-Chloro-4-(2,6-difluoro-phenylamino)-benzoyl]-4-methoxy-benzoic acid (compound 443),

3-[2-Chloro-4-(3-fluoro-2-methyl-phenylamino)-benzoyl]-4-methyl-benzoic acid (Compound 446);

3-[2-Chloro-4-(2-chloro-4-fluoro-phenylamino)-benzoyl]-4-methyl-benzoic acid (Compound 449);

3-[2-Chloro-4-(4-fluoro-phenylamino)-benzoyl]-4-methoxy-benzoic acid (Compound 457);

3-(2-Chloro-4-phenylamino-benzoyl)-4-methoxy-benzoic acid (Compound 459);

[2-Chloro-4-(2-nitro-phenylamino)-phenyl]-[2-methyl-4-[2-(tetrahydro-pyran-2-yloxy)-ethoxy]-phenyl]-methanone (Compound 472);

[4-(4-Bromo-2-nitro-phenylamino)-2-chloro-phenyl]-[2-methyl-4-[2-(tetrahydro-pyran-2-yloxy)-ethoxy]-phenyl] (Compound 473);

[4-(4-Bromo-2-nitro-phenylamino)-2-chloro-phenyl]-[2-methyl-4-[3-(tetrahydro-pyran-2-yloxy)-propoxy]-phenyl]-methanone (Compound 477);

[4-(4-Bromo-2-nitro-phenylamino)-2-chloro-phenyl]-[4-(2-fluoro-ethoxy)-2-methyl-phenyl]-methanone (Compound 481);

[4-(4-Bromo-2-nitro-phenylamino)-2-chloro-phenyl]-[4-(2-methoxy-ethoxy)-2-methyl-phenyl]-methanone (Compound 485);

[2-Chloro-4-(2-nitro-phenylamino)-phenyl]-[2-fluoro-5-(2-morpholin-4-yl-ethoxy)-phenyl]-methanone (compound 518);

[2-Chloro-4-(2-nitro-phenylamino)-phenyl]-[5-(2,2-dimethyl-[1,3]dioxolan-4-yl-methoxy)-2-fluoro-phenyl]-methanone (compound 519); and

[2-Chloro-4-(2-nitro-phenylamino)-phenyl]-[5-(2,3-dihydroxy-propoxy)-2-fluoro-phenyl]-methanone (compound 520).

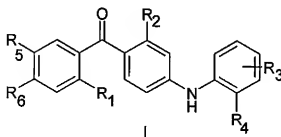
81. (Previously Presented) A pharmaceutical composition comprising a compound according to claim 49 or a pharmaceutically acceptable salt or ester thereof together with a pharmaceutically acceptable vehicle or excipient.

82. (Cancelled)

83. (Previously Presented) A method of preventing, treating or ameliorating inflammatory diseases or conditions, or ophthalmic diseases or conditions, the method comprising administering to a patient in need thereof an effective amount of a compound according to claim 49, wherein the inflammatory or ophthalmic disease or condition is selected from the group consisting of asthma, allergy, arthritis, rheumatoid arthritis, spondyloarthritis, gout, atherosclerosis, chronic inflammatory bowel disease, Crohn's disease, neurological inflammations, inflammatory eye diseases, proliferative and inflammatory skin disorders, psoriasis, atopic dermatitis, acne, uveitis, sepsis, septic shock or acne, and osteoporosis.

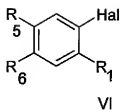
84. – 87. (Cancelled)

88. (Previously Presented) A method for producing a compound of general structure I,



wherein R₁, R₂, R₃, R₄, R₅, and R₆ are defined as in claim 49, comprising the steps of

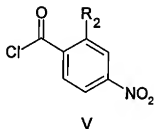
a) transforming a compound general structure VI,



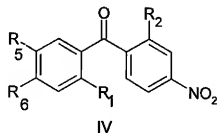
wherein Hal is a halogen, and R₁, R₅ and R₆ are defined as in claim 49, each of which are independently protected or unprotected, into an organometallic intermediate;

b) transmetalating said organometallic intermediate to an organozinc intermediate;

c) coupling said organozinc intermediate with an acid halide of general structure V,



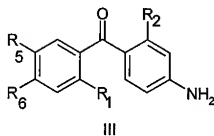
wherein R₂ is defined as in claim 49, protected or unprotected, in the presence of a catalyst to give a compound of general structure IV,



wherein R₁, R₂, R₅, and R₆ are defined as above, each of which are independently protected or unprotected;

d) optionally transforming, protecting or deprotecting one or more substituents or functional groups of R_1 , R_2 , R_5 , and R_6 of the compound of general structure IV to give another compound of general structure IV;

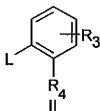
e) reducing the compound of general structure IV from step c) or d) to an amine of general structure III,



wherein R_1 , R_2 , R_5 , and R_6 are defined as above, each of which are independently protected or unprotected;

f) optionally transforming, protecting or deprotecting one or more substituents or functional groups of R_1 , R_2 , R_5 , and R_6 of the compound of general structure III to give another compound of general structure III;

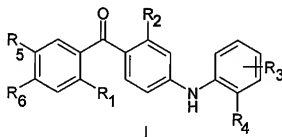
g) coupling of the amine of general structure III from step e) or f) with a compound of general structure II,



wherein L is triflate or halogen, R₃ and R₄ are defined in claim 49, each of which are independently protected or unprotected, to give a compound of general structure I, wherein R₁, R₂, R₃, R₄, R₅, and R₆ are defined as above, each of which are independently protected or unprotected;

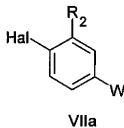
h) optionally transforming, protecting or deprotecting one or more substituents or functional groups of R₁, R₂, R₃, R₄, R₅, or R₆ of the compound of general structure I from step g) to give another compound of general structure I.

89. (Previously Presented) A method for producing a compound of general structure I,



wherein R₁, R₂, R₃, R₄, R₅, and R₆ are defined as in claim 49, comprising the steps of

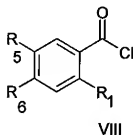
a) transforming a compound general structure VIIa,



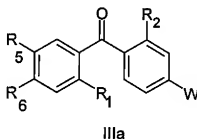
wherein Hal is halogen, W is halogen or triflate, and R_2 is as defined in claim 49, protected or unprotected, into an organometallic intermediate;

b) transmetalating said organometallic intermediate to an organozinc intermediate;

c) coupling said organozinc intermediate with an acid halide of general structure VIII,



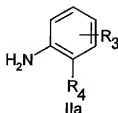
wherein R_1 , R_5 , and R_6 are as defined in claim 49, each of which are independently protected or unprotected, in the presence of a catalyst to give a compound of general structure IIIa,



wherein W, R_1 , R_2 , R_5 , and R_6 are defined as above, each of which are independently protected or unprotected;

d) optionally transforming, protecting or deprotecting one or more substituents or functional groups of W, R_1 , R_2 , R_5 , and R_6 of the compound of general structure IIIa to give another compound of general structure IIIa;

e) coupling of the compound of general structure IIIa from step c) or d) with an amine of general structure IIa,



wherein R₃ and R₄ are defined as in claim 49, each of which are independently protected or unprotected, to give a compound of general structure I,

wherein R₁, R₂, R₃, R₄, R₅, and R₆ are defined as above, each of which are independently protected or unprotected;

f) optionally transforming, protecting or deprotecting one or more substituents or functional groups of R₁, R₂, R₃, R₄, R₅, or R₆ of the compound of general structure I from step e) to give another compound of general structure I.

90. (Cancelled)

91. (New) A composition according to claim 81 further comprising another active component selected from the group consisting of glucocorticoids, vitamin D analogues, anti-histamines, platelet activating factor (PAF) antagonists, anticolergenic agents, methyl xanthines, β -adrenergic agents, COX-2 inhibitors, salicylates, indomethacin, flufenamate, naproxen, timegadine, gold salts, penicilamine, serum cholesterol reducing agents, retinoids, zinc salts and salicylazosulfapyridin.

92. (New) A method of preventing, treating or ameliorating acute macular degeneration or age-related macular degeneration, the method comprising administering to a patient in need thereof an effective amount of a compound according to claim 49.

REMARKS

Claims 49-50, 56, 58, 63-71, 77-81, 83, 88, 89, 91 and 92 are pending in connection with the present application. The claims have been amended in view of the Unity of Invention Requirement. New claims 91 and 92 correspond to previously cancelled claims 82 and 87.

The claims have been subjected to a Unity of Invention Requirement including the following non-exhaustive list of subject matter groups:

Group I -- claims 49-82 (in part) directed to compounds of Formula 1 and their pharmaceutical composition wherein : R5 is -COOH;

Group II -- claims 49-82 (in part) directed to compounds of Formula 1 and their pharmaceutical composition wherein : R5 is -C(O)NR_aR₉;

Group III -- claims 49-82 (in part) directed to compounds of Formula 1 and their pharmaceutical composition wherein : R5 is -C(O)NR_a;

Group IV -- claims 83-87 (in part) directed to methods of use compounds and methods of use of compounds of Formula 1 and their pharmaceutical composition wherein: R5 is -COOH;

Group V -- claims 83-87(in part) directed to methods of use compounds and methods of use of compounds of Formula 1 and their pharmaceutical composition wherein: R5 is -C(O)NR_aR₉;

Group VI -- claims 83-87(in part) directed to methods of use compounds and methods of use of compounds of Formula 1 and their pharmaceutical composition wherein: R5 is -C(O)NR_a;

Group VII -- claims 88-90 (in part) directed to methods of making compounds and methods of use of compounds of Formula 1 and their pharmaceutical composition wherein: R5 is -COOH;

Group VIII -- claims 88-90 (in part) directed to methods of making compounds and methods of use compounds and methods of use of compounds of Formula 1 and their pharmaceutical composition wherein: R5 is -C(O)NR₆R₉; and

Group IX -- claims 88-90(in part) directed to methods of making compounds and methods of use of compounds of Formula 1 and their pharmaceutical composition wherein: R5 is -C(O)NR₆..

Responsive Election

Applicant hereby elects the presently amended claims and, if necessary, provisionally elects Claims 49-50, 56, 58, 63-71, 77-81, 83, with traverse. Applicant respectfully submits that this election also extends to composition claim 81, as well as claims 88 and 89 directed to processes for making the elected compounds. Applicant also requests that the Patent Examiner consider also including examination of method claims 83 and 92, as well as composition claim 91. This election is made with traverse.

Reasons in Support of Unity of Invention

The Examiner has asserted that the present claims fail to satisfy applicable unity of invention requirements. In an attempt to comply with applicable requirements, substituent R₄ has been restricted to represent fluoro only. The basis for this amendment is found in original claim 10. By restricting R₄ to fluoro, it is submitted that a special technical feature common to all the compounds of formula I now exists that differentiates all the compounds falling within amended claim 1 from the compounds of WO 01/05744 and from the other prior art documents cited in a previously filed Information Disclosure Statement.

WO 01/42189 discloses two examples, i.e. Example 5 and Example 11 respectively, which include a fluoro-group as a R₄ substituent; but in these two examples no substitution exists at the 4-R₆ or 5-R₅ position as in the present claims. The same two examples are disclosed in WO 02/45752 and the remaining examples therein do not include compounds with a 2-R₄ fluoro-substitution feature as in the compounds of the present claims.

WO 02/76447 discloses fluoro as a R₄ substituent; however all the compounds claimed are not substituted in the R₂ position as in the compounds of the present claims.

In view of the above, it is submitted that the present claims satisfy applicable unity of invention requirements such that all of the presently claimed subject matter should be examined and the above-noted Requirement be withdrawn. It is further requested that the Examiner consider rejoinder of process claims 88 and 89 should these claims not initially be examined.

If any questions arise in the above matters, please contact Applicant's representative, Andrew D. Meikle (Reg. No. 32,868), in the Washington Metropolitan Area at the phone number listed below.